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## THE HEDGEHOG

MY ENEMY,  
MY FRIEND,  
**SONIC vs.  
MONKEY KHAN!**



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# HEAVY IS THE HEAD

## PART TWO: IRON KHAN

*THE STORY SO FAR: DOCTOR EGGMAN HAS LOST HIS MIND! NOW THE IRON QUEEN RULES THE EGGMAN EMPIRE WITH HER FOUR NINJA CLANS! MONKEY KHAN HAS COME TO HELP, BUT HAS FALLEN UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE IRON QUEEN'S TECHNOMAGIC!*

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KEN!  
LISTEN TO  
ME! YOU  
HAVE TO  
FIGHT HER  
CONTROL!

I AM THE  
DIVINE WEAPON  
OF THE IRON  
DOMINION.

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Mind-Controlled Hero

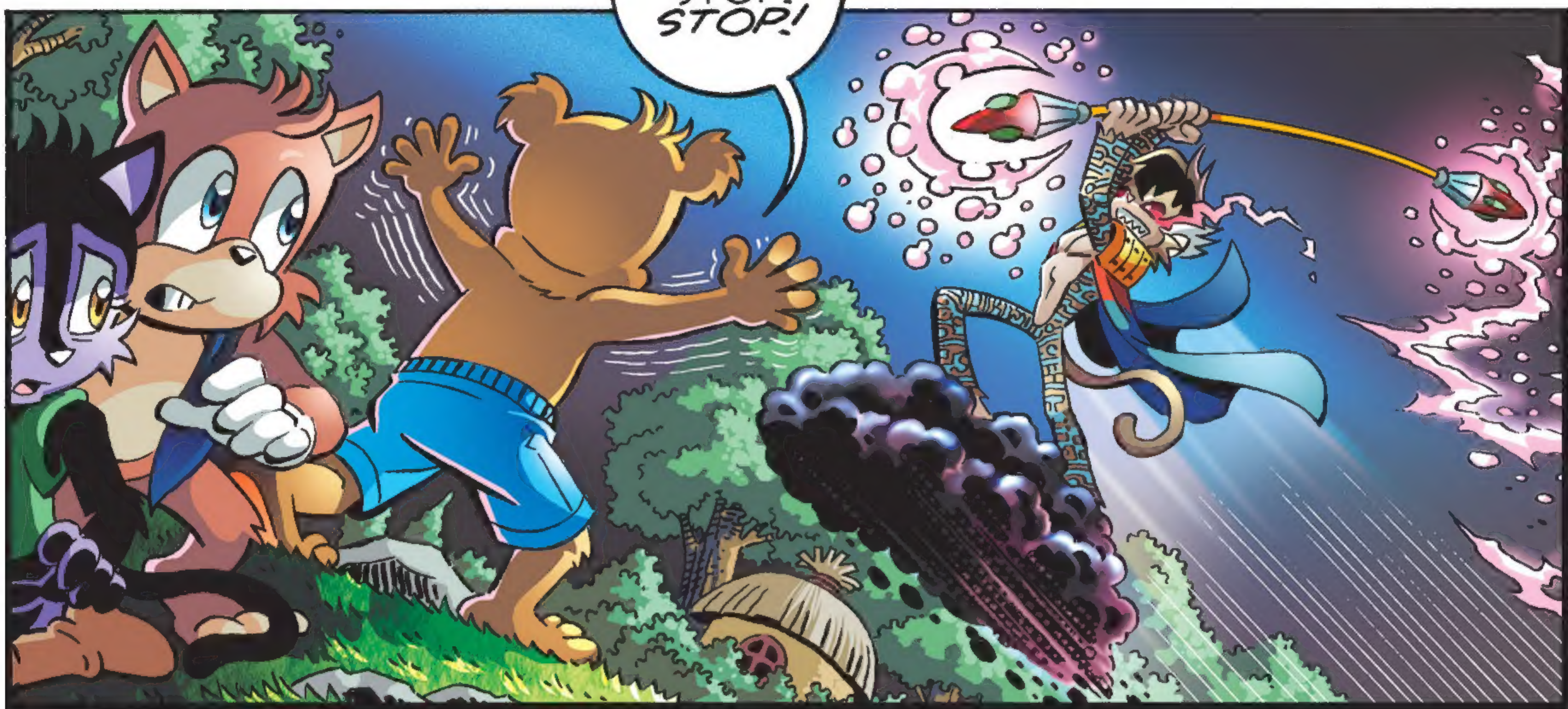
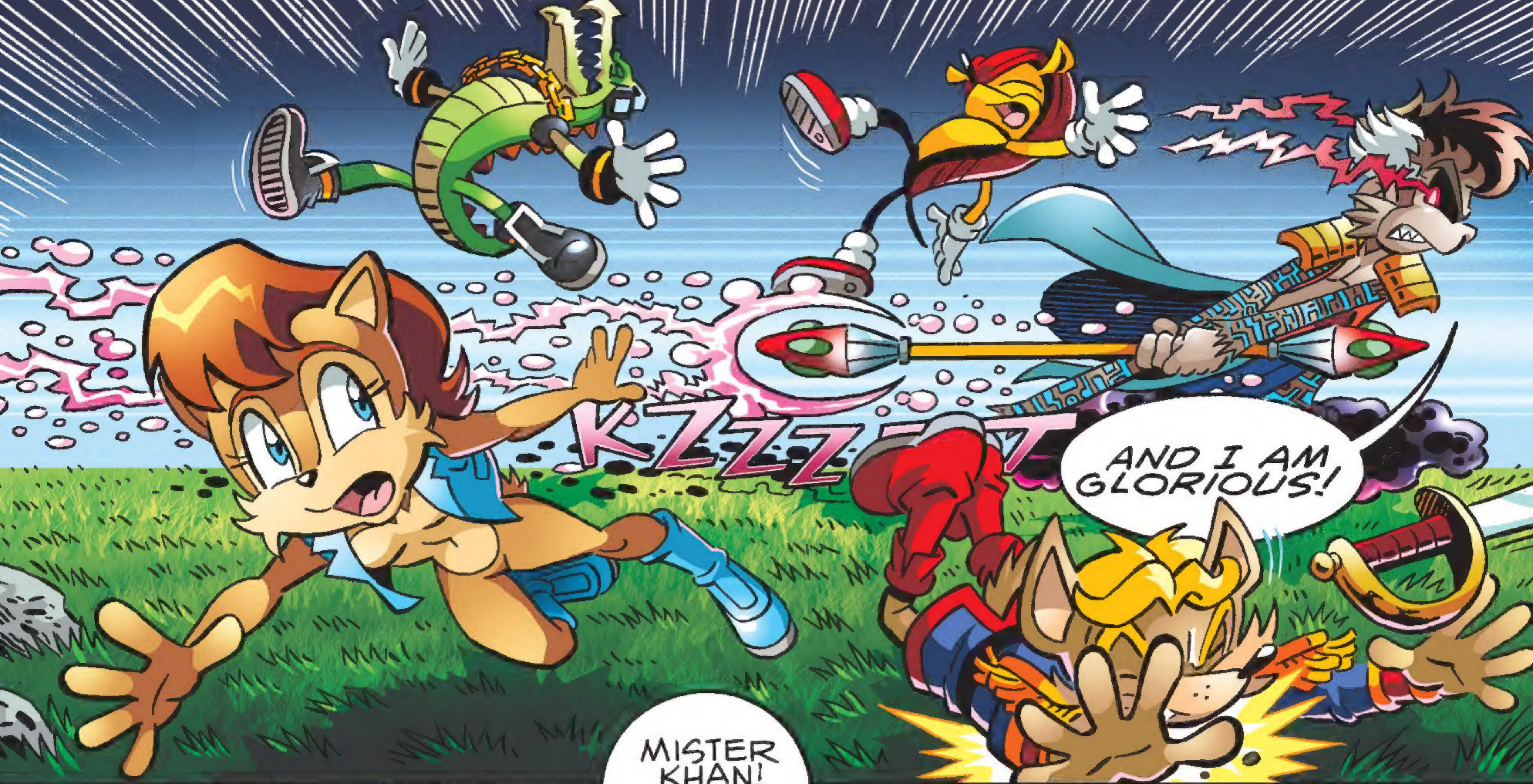
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SONIC THE HEDGEHOG  
Hero of Mobius

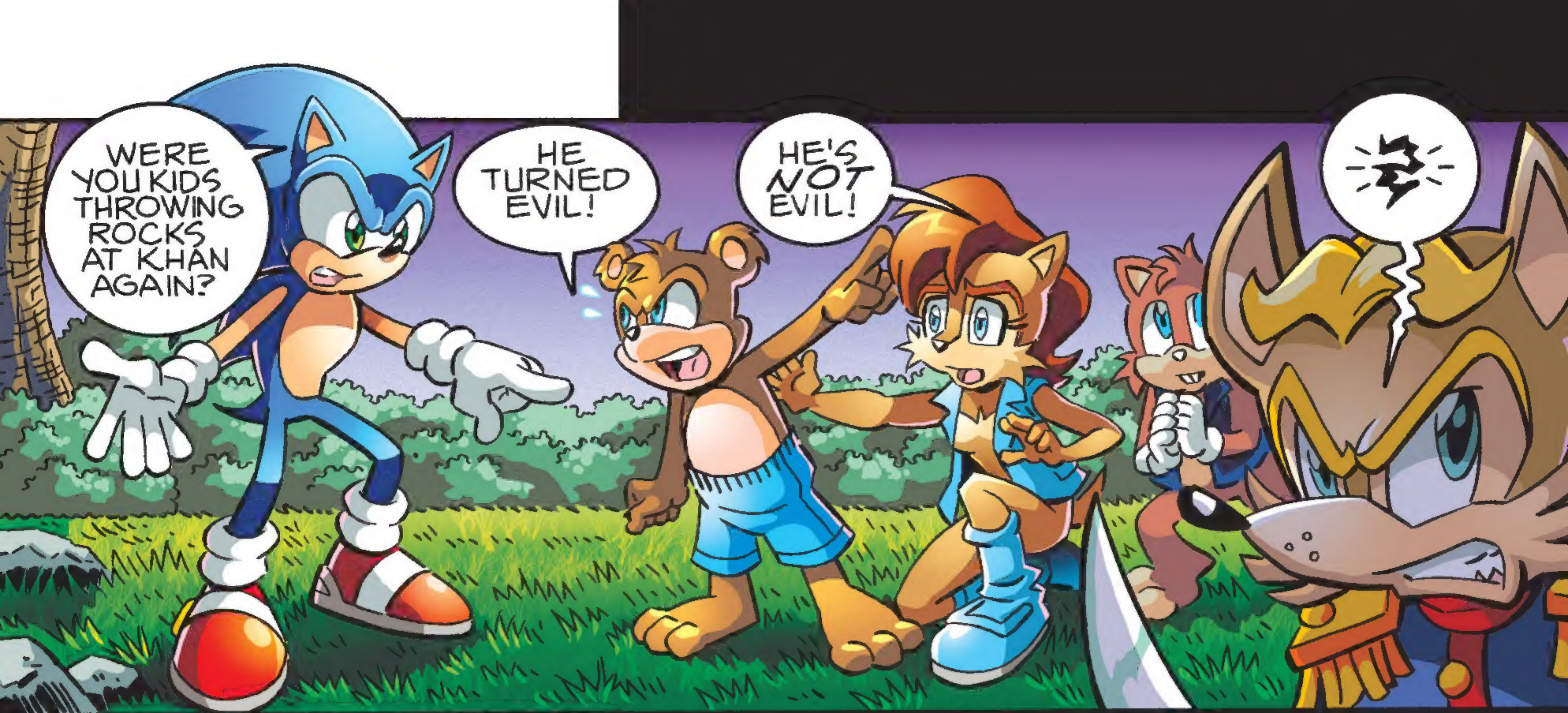
RORY, SNAGGLE,  
& SASHA Orphans

SNIVELY ROBOTNIK  
Eggman's Nephew









WERE YOU KIDS THROWING ROCKS AT KHAN AGAIN?

HE TURNED EVIL!

HE'S NOT EVIL!

⚡

SNIVELY TOOK HIS POWER RING CROWN AND LEFT HIM PRONE. THE IRON QUEEN USED THE SAME TECHNOMAGIC SHE USED ON BUNNIE TO TAKE CONTROL OF HIM.



SO HE NEEDS TO BE CONTAINED.

GOT IT.

THIS SHOULD BE FUN!

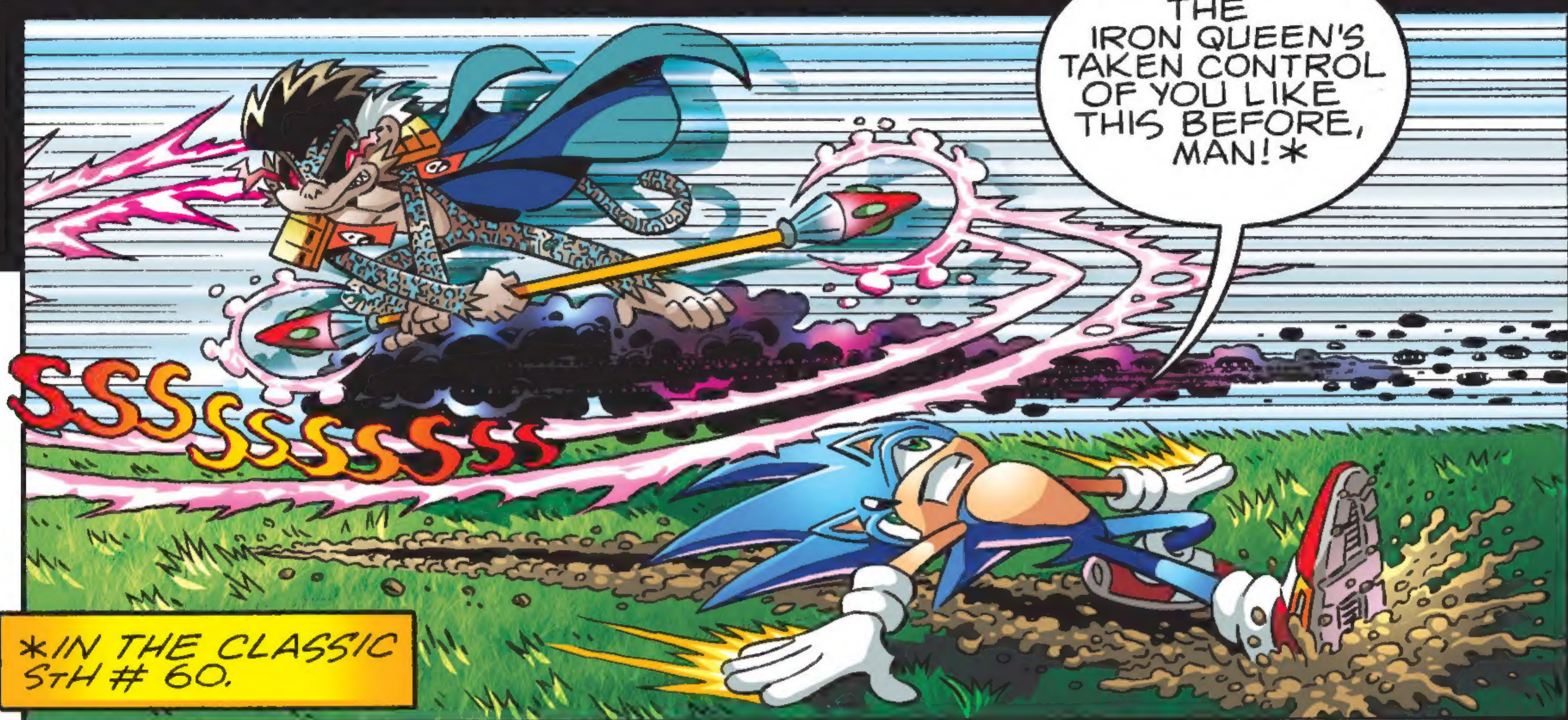
DON'T ...DON'T HURT HIM!







"DON'T  
HURT  
HIM,"  
SHE  
SAYS.



THE  
IRON QUEEN'S  
TAKEN CONTROL  
OF YOU LIKE  
THIS BEFORE,  
MAN!\*

\*IN THE CLASSIC  
STH # 60.



YOU SAID  
YOU'D NEVER  
LET ANYONE  
CONTROL YOU AGAIN.  
NOT ROBOTNIK,  
AND NOT THIS  
PSYCHO!



YOU'RE  
TOO STUBBORN TO  
LET HER VOODOO  
WORK ON YOU! SNAP  
OUT OF IT, KHAN!





YOU'RE WASTING YOUR TIME, DEARIE! HIS CYBERNETICS ARE TOO EXTENSIVE! MY CONTROL IS ABSOLUTE!

THIS POWER RING MAY HAVE OFFERED SOME PROTECTION AS HIS CROWN...

...BUT NOW IT'S GONE.

AWW, TOO BAD.



MY LITTLE MONKEY PAWN WILL DESTROY YOUR FREEDOM FIGHTERS JUST LIKE HE DID IN THE DRAGON KINGDOM! AND THEN YOUR CITY WILL BURN!

MREE-  
HEE-  
HEE-  
HEE!





SO THAT'S THE GAME YOU LIKE TO PLAY...! THANKS FOR GIVING ME A PLAN, THOUGH.



WHEN WE FIRST MET KHAN, HE DIDN'T HAVE A CROWN, RIGHT?

RIGHT. HE TOOK A POWER RING THAT WAS THERE, AND IT TRANSFORMED.\*

\*THE CLASSIC STH # 55.



PERFECT! STALL HIM WHILE I SWING BY THE LAKE OF RINGS, AND --YOW!

LOOK OUT!

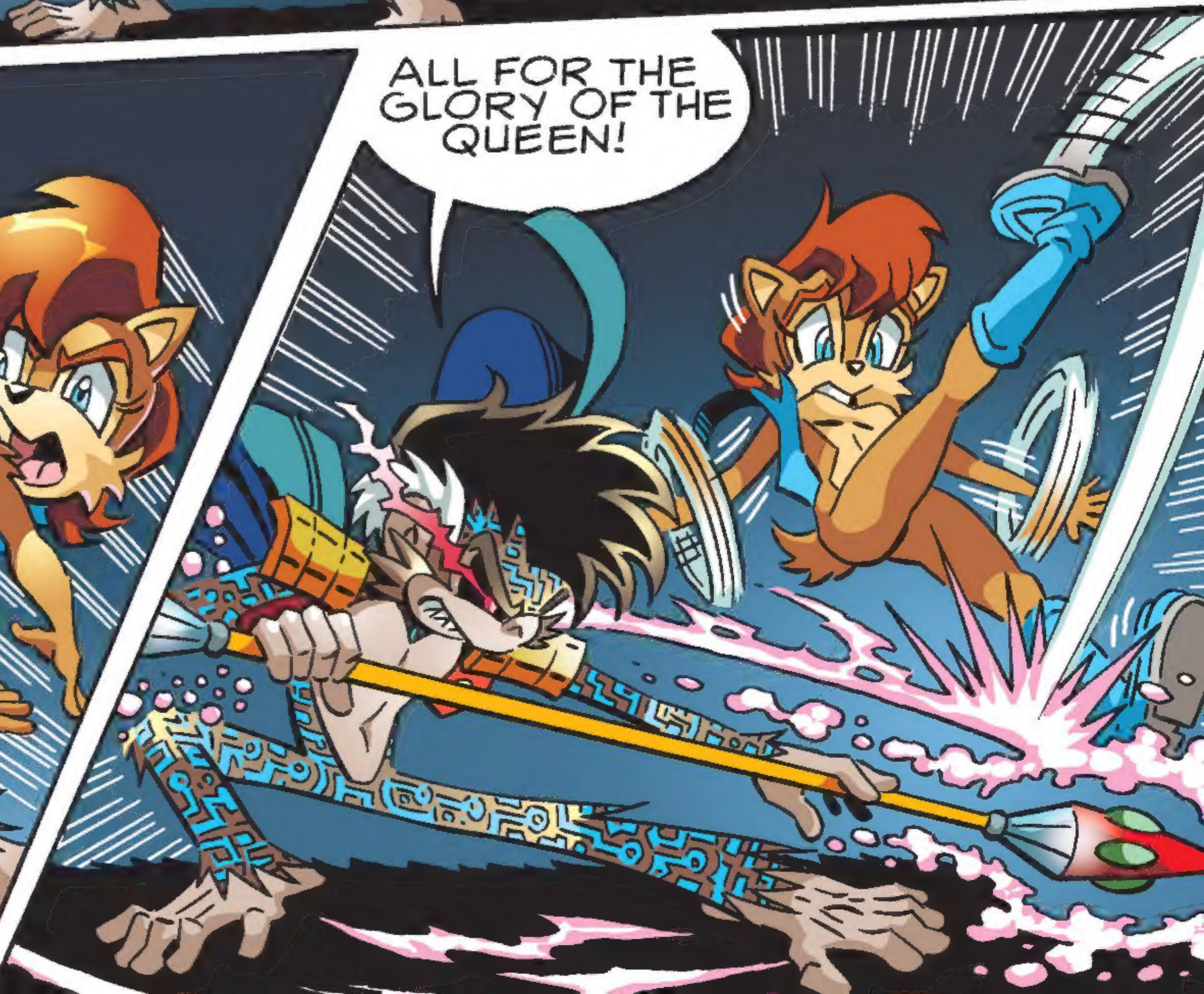
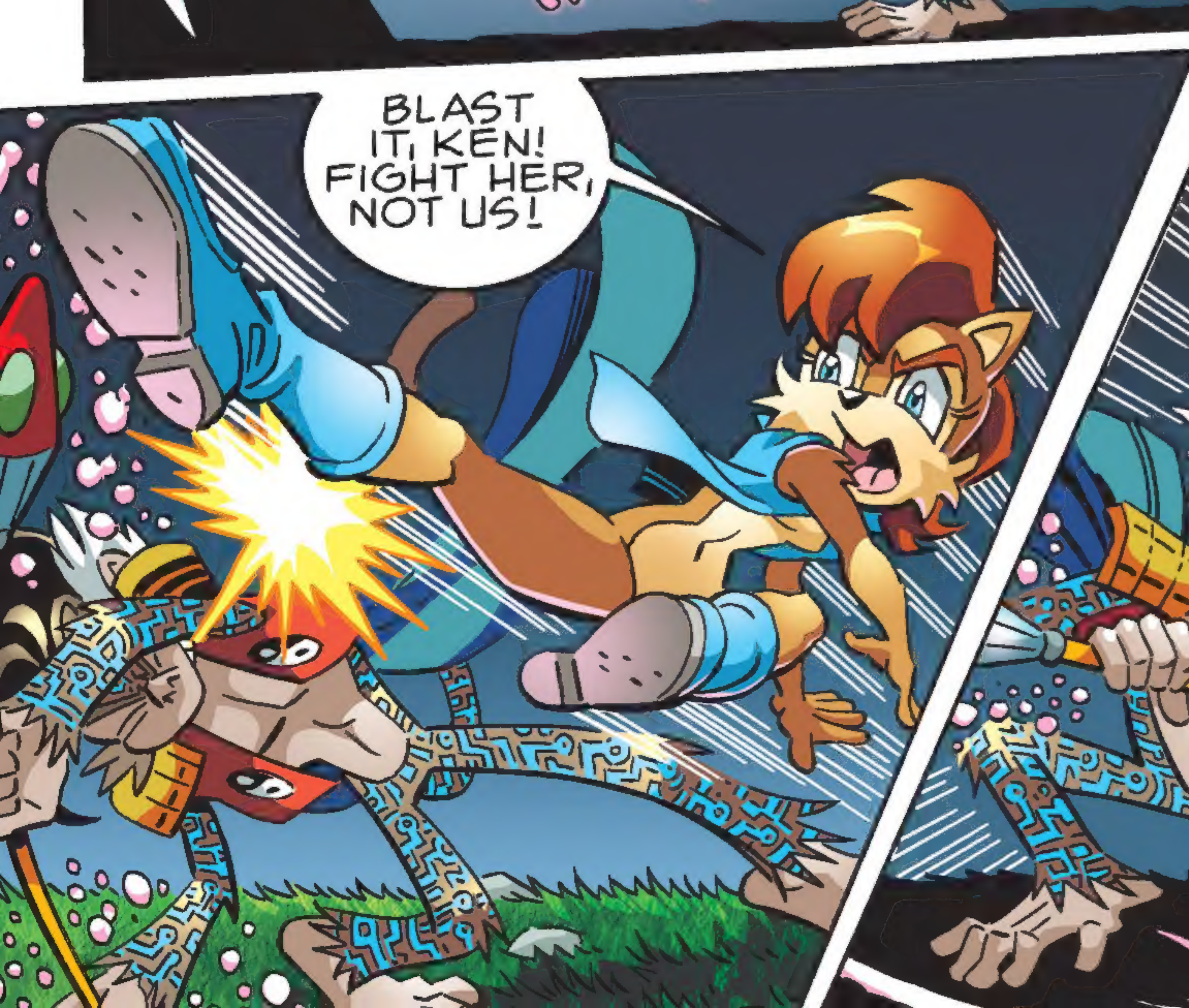
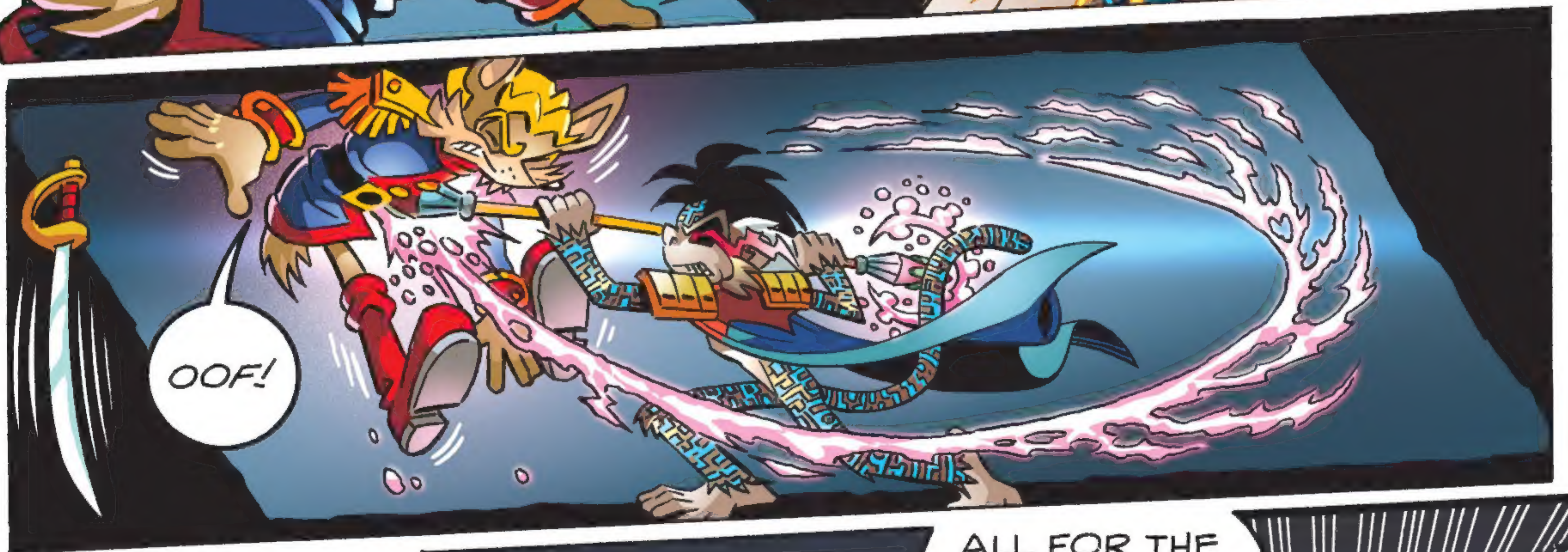
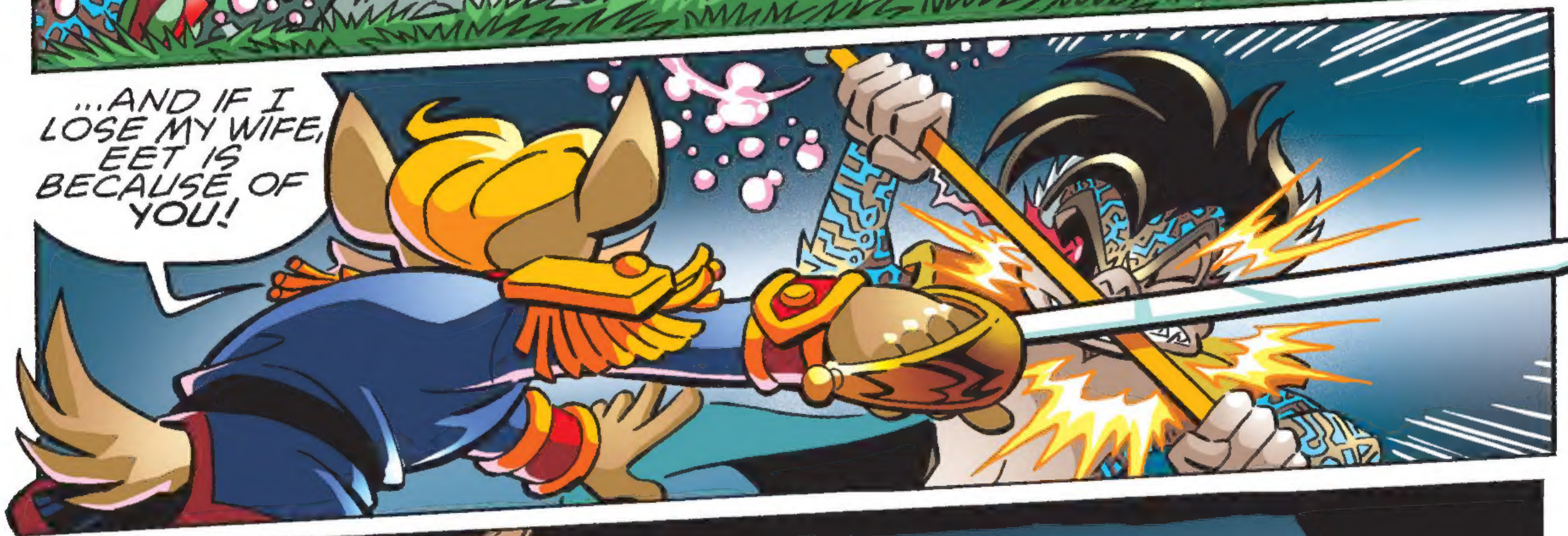
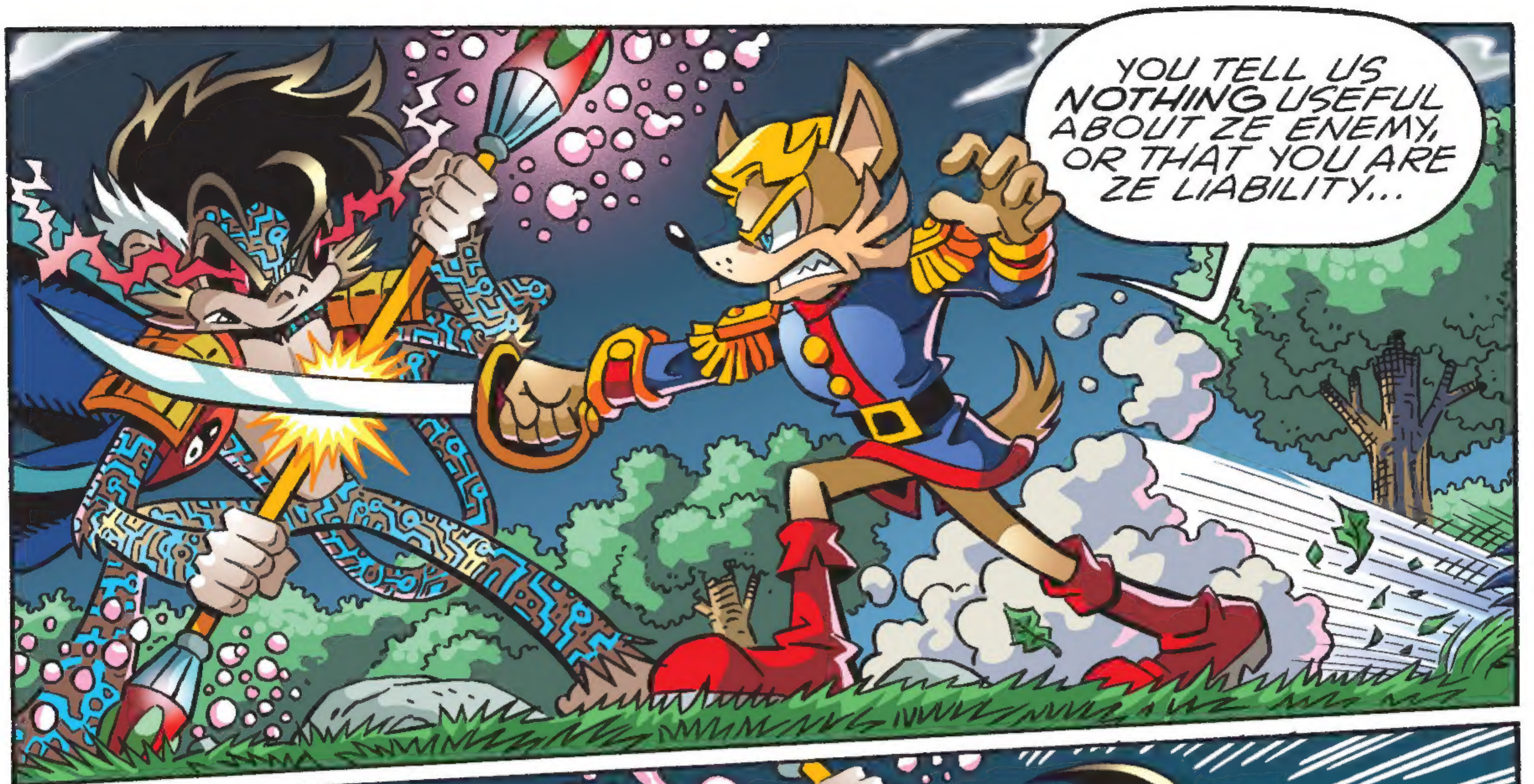
CLANG



I AM SUGGESTING YOU ARE GETTING ZE MOVE ON, THEN!

WOW, 'TWAN. I'M ON MY WAY.







HA! GOTCHA!  
I TOLD 'SU THE  
PRINCESS WAS  
RIGHT! WE DON'T  
NEED HER!

THEN  
AGAIN  
...?

RRRGH!  
WHY DON'T YOU  
SLOW DOWN?!  
IT'S A CLOUD,  
FOR CRYIN'  
OUT LOUD!

SORRY,  
FRIEND, BUT  
YOU'RE NOT  
LEAVING ME  
A CHOICE.

"TUMULTUOUS  
THUNDERCLAP  
OF THE  
ENRAGED!"

UH-OH...





C'MON  
C'MON **COME ON!**  
THIS IS THE  
LAKE OF RINGS,  
NICOLE. WHY AM  
I NOT SEEING  
ANY RINGS?

THE RINGS ARE  
A BY-PRODUCT  
OF THE ENERGY  
CONVERSION FROM  
ROBOTROPOLIS'  
NUCLEAR  
FALLOUT.



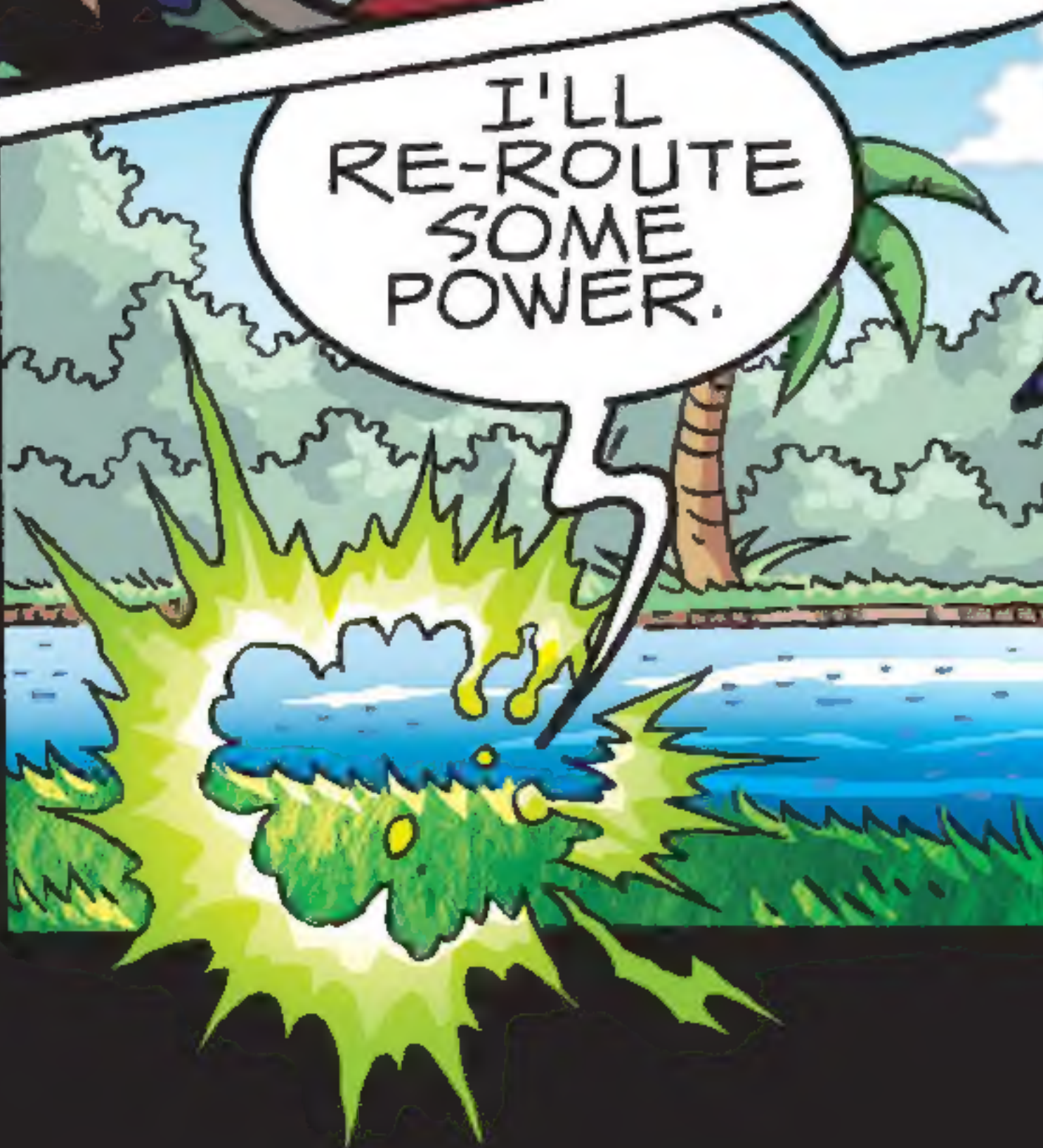
MEANING  
...?

IT  
TAKES  
TIME.

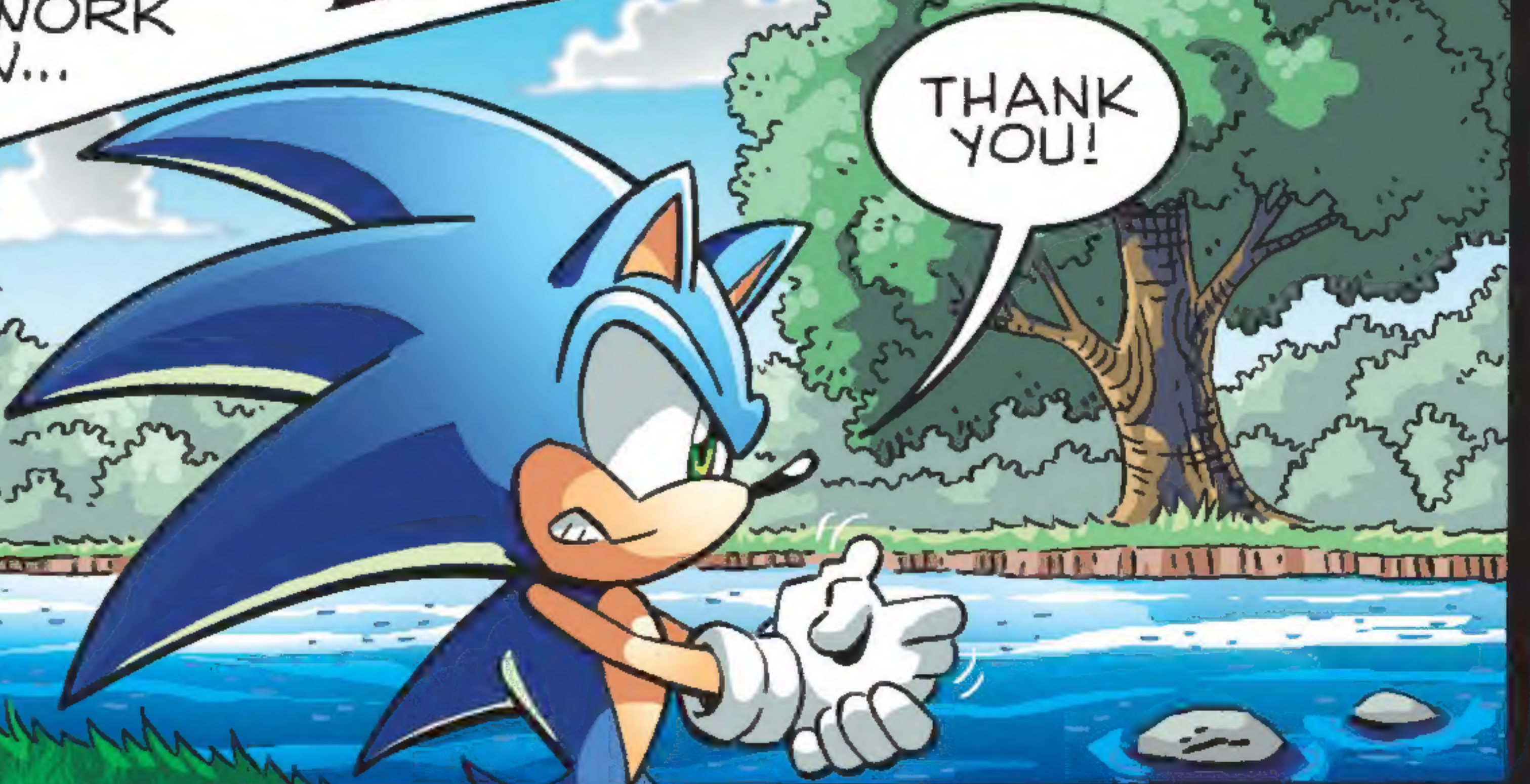


**KRA-KOOM!**

A LOT OF  
TIME, AND THERE'S  
ALREADY A LOT OF  
STRANGE DISTORTION  
IN MY NETWORK  
RIGHT NOW...



I'LL  
RE-ROUTE  
SOME  
POWER.



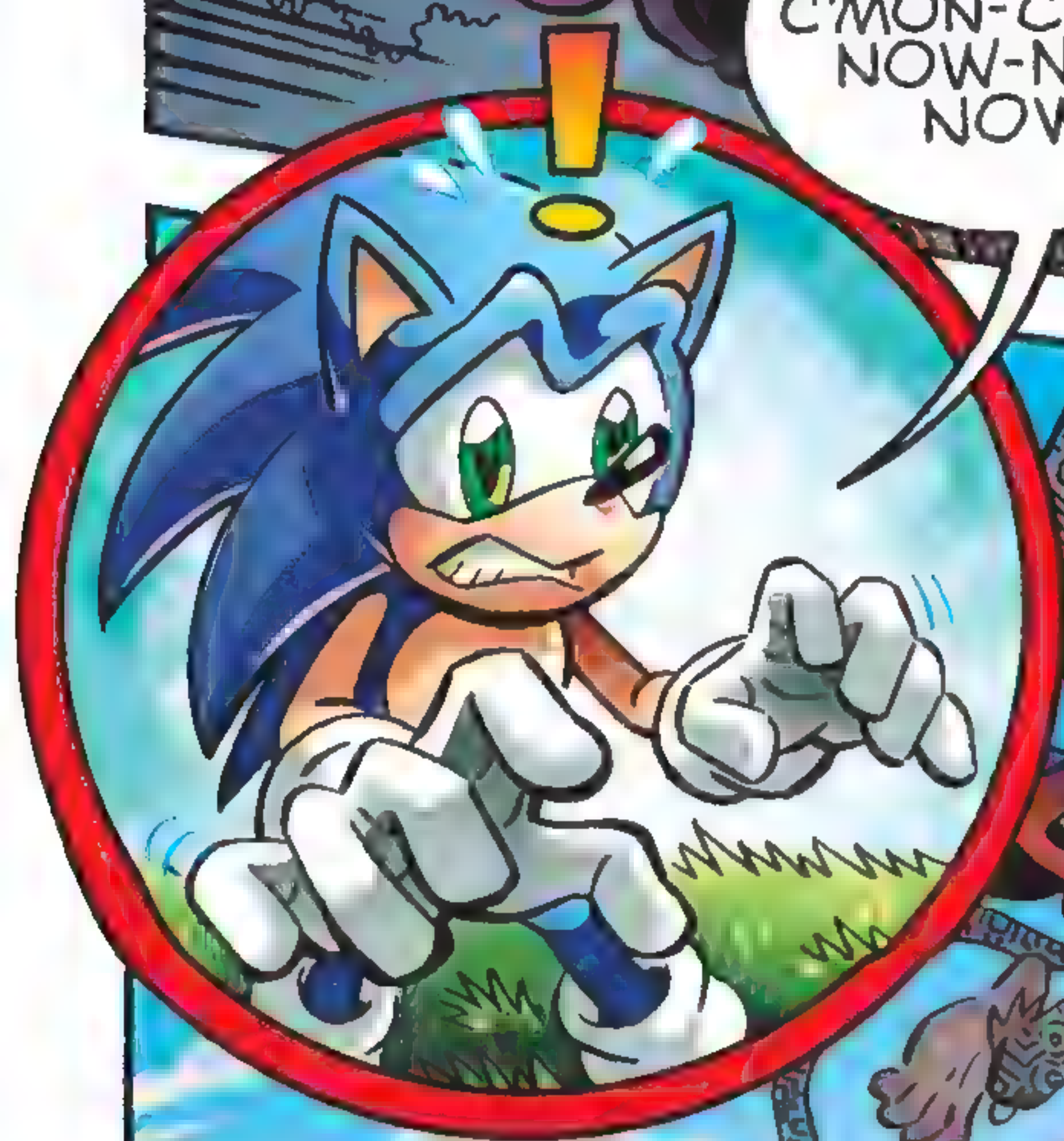
THANK  
YOU!





PREPARE  
FOR JUDGEMENT,  
WORM!

C'MON-  
C'MON-C'MON!  
NOW-NOW-  
NOW!



YES!

BOING

SLOOP!

THE POWER RING,  
MADE BY SCIENCE  
OR MAGIC, IT IS  
ENERGY GIVEN  
FORM.

THE POWER OF THE  
RING CAN ENHANCE  
STRENGTH, GRANT  
INSIGHT, OR EMPOWER  
ONE'S DEEPEST WISH.

PLOONK

SPLASH



IN THIS CASE,  
MONKEY KHAN  
NEEDS ALL  
THREE.

...ARE  
YOU BACK  
WITH US,  
M.K.?

THIS IS WHY YOU  
WERE SO ANGRY  
WHEN YOU SAW US  
CELEBRATING.

THIS IS  
WHY YOU  
SAID...

...not  
really...

...THERE WERE NO  
FREEDOM FIGHTERS  
TO CONTACT IN THE  
DRAGON KINGDOM.

THIS IS WHY YOU  
GOT ALL BENT  
OUT OF SHAPE  
WHEN I RAGGED  
ON YOU ABOUT  
BEING "KING."

Yes. It's  
all my  
fault.

MREE-HEE-  
HEE-HEE!  
THAT'S  
THAT,  
THEN!

THAT'S  
IT?  
WE'RE  
PULLING  
OUT?

THEY KNOW NOT TO  
CHALLENGE ME AND  
ALL THEIR FAITH IN  
MONKEY FUZZ IS  
SHATTERED.  
NOW...LET'S  
GO HOME.

MMM  
...YES,  
DEAR.





I--I THOUGHT I COULD CONTROL MYSELF WITH MY POWER RING CROWN.

I GOT ANGRY-- AGAIN --AND...

...LOST MY FOCUS.



SHE RELEASED ME AFTER THE FREEDOM FIGHTERS WERE GONE, JUST TO MESS WITH ME! I TRIED FIGHTING ON MY OWN, I REALLY DID...

BUT I'M WEAK. I CAN'T DO IT ALONE...CAN'T BE ALONE...LIKE THAT. IT'S LIKE BEING BACK IN THE VAULT.\*

\*WHERE HE WAS TRAPPED FOR YEARS. (STH # 55.)



SO YOU CHOOSE NOW TO BE TELLING US?! NOW ZAT MY WIFE IS NEARLY LOST. DID YOU NOT THEENK SHE WOULD USE YOU LIKE THAT AGAIN?!

ANTOINE! COOL IT!



NO. HE'S RIGHT.





NO, HE'S NOT.



WELL, I MEAN, NOT TOTALLY.

WE LOST OUR PARENTS TO DR. ROBOTNIK'S WAR. THAT'S HOW YOU LOST YOUR FRIENDS.



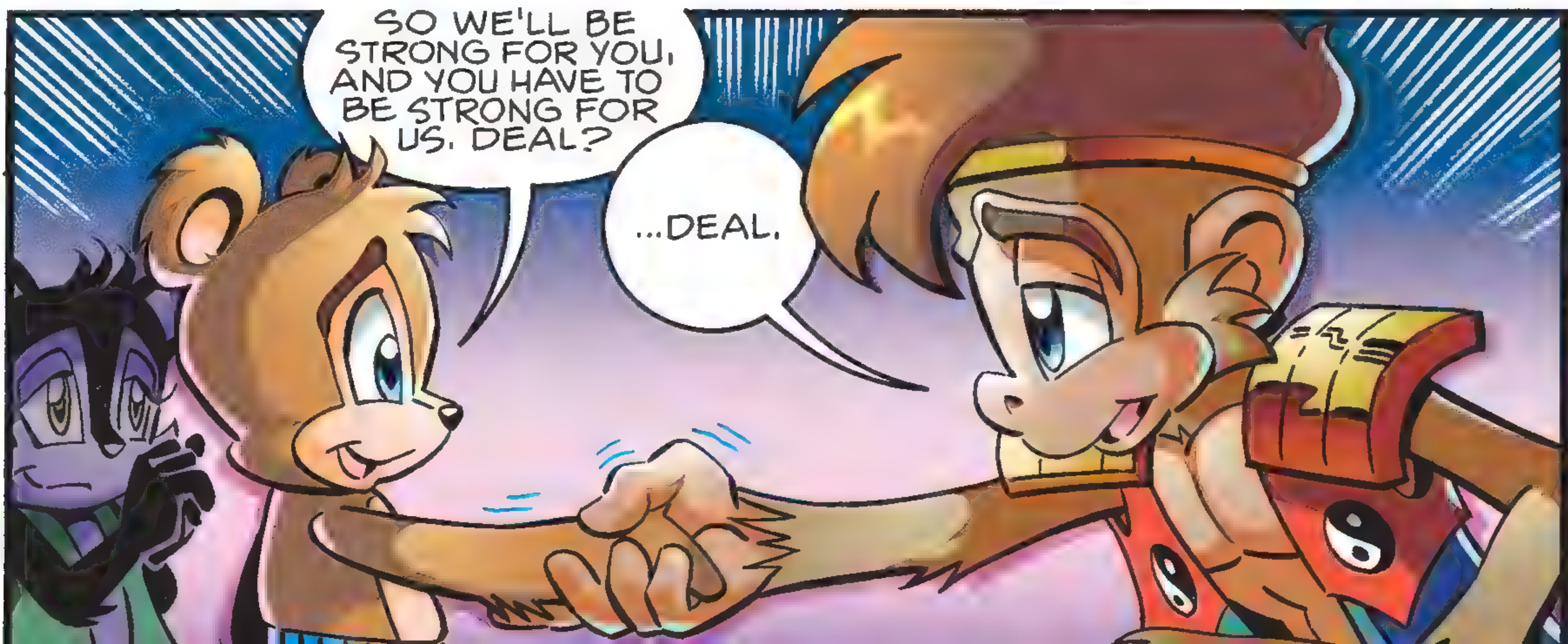
SOMETIMES WE FELT LIKE IT WAS OUR FAULT. WE'RE TOO LITTLE AND WEAK TO HELP FIGHT.



BUT ROSIE SAYS WE ALL HELP IN OUR OWN WAY. U/M... SO WE HAVE TO HELP EACH OTHER.

AND THEN WE'RE ALL STRONG BECAUSE EVERYONE ELSE IS.

YEAH!



SO WE'LL BE STRONG FOR YOU, AND YOU HAVE TO BE STRONG FOR US. DEAL?

...DEAL.



WE'VE ALL MADE OUR MISTAKES AND HAVE MISSED CHANCES. BUT WE CAN'T LOSE SIGHT...

...OF WHO THE REAL ENEMY IS, AND WHO OUR FRIENDS ARE.

THANK YOU, SALLY.

CAN "I'M SORRY" BE A START?

OUI. AND I AM SORRY FOR MY FROSTING-NESS!

I WAS ABOUT TO SAY. REMEMBER YOUR OLD YELLOW STREAK?

OUI. I RECALL IT ALL TOO WELL.

BECAUSE I TOTALLY COULD BRING IT UP RIGHT NOW.

I KNOW.

I'VE GOT A LIST.

STOP EET.

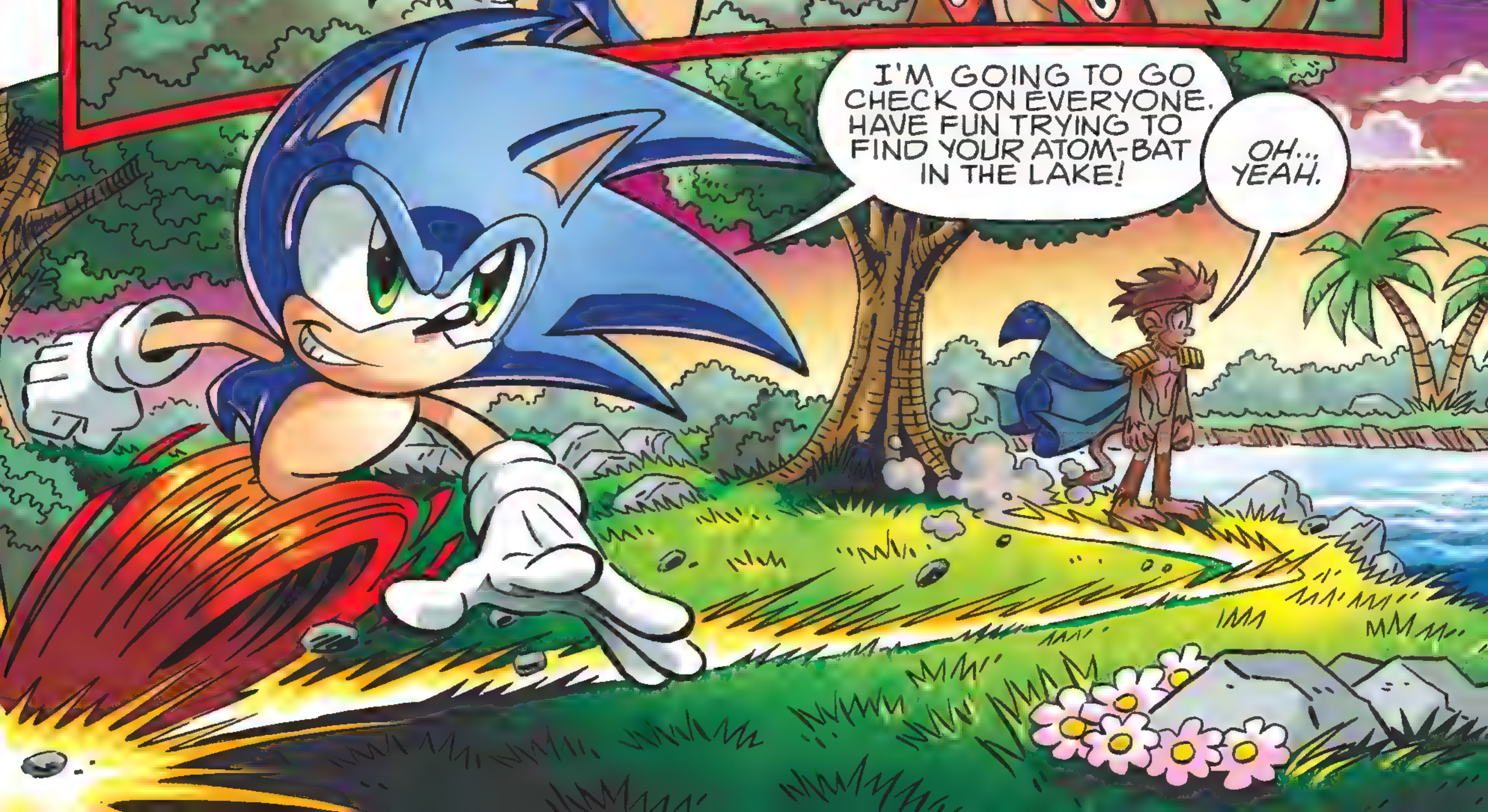
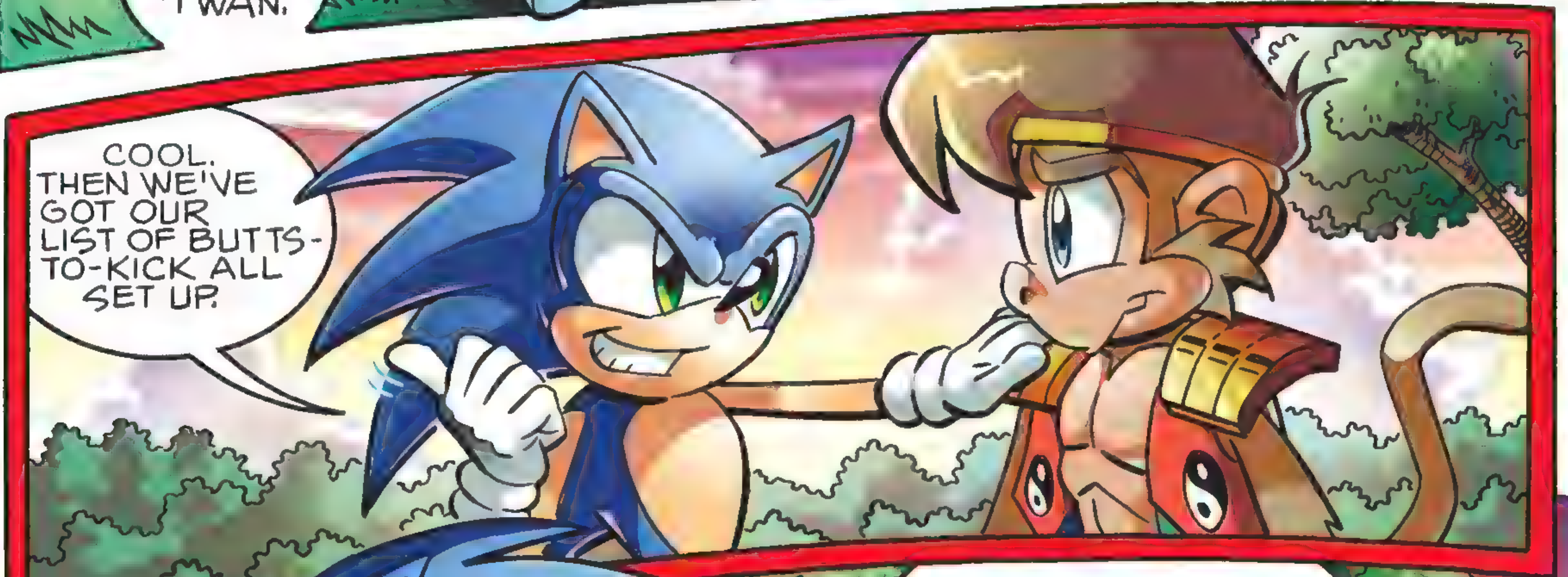
I'M GOING TO CHECK ON TAILS.

COME ON, KIDS, LET'S FIND ROSIE.





SO...TO MAKE SURE I'VE GOT THIS STRAIGHT--WE'VE GOT THE IRON DOMINION RUNNING THE EGGMAN EMPIRE NOW. THEY'VE GOT THE DARK EGG LEGION, PLUS THE FOUR HOUSES OF NINJA CLANS. AND THEY'VE GOT TWO BASES-- BOTH THE EGGDOME AND THEIR OLD BASE BACK IN THE DRAGON KINGDOM.





EGGDOME--  
DETENTION  
LEVEL.

IT'S A PITY  
YOU'RE SO FAR  
GONE, UNCLE.  
I'D LIKE YOU TO  
APPRECIATE HOW  
WELL THINGS ARE  
GOING WITHOUT  
YOU.

... a proponent of time ...  
variable states in normal  
conditions ... a product of  
mass times energy ...  
impossibly fast ... definable  
patterns in chaos ... matrix  
of squid-to- butter ratio ...  
hate that hedgehog ...

SONIC'S  
BEEN BEATEN  
TWICE IN AS  
MANY DAYS. WE  
HAVE A SIZABLE  
ARMY, EVEN IF  
IT ISN'T MADE  
OF ROBOTS.

AND I'M TREATED  
DECENTLY FOR ONCE!  
PRINCELY! I'VE  
FOUND LOVE, YOU  
DOMINEERING  
OAF!

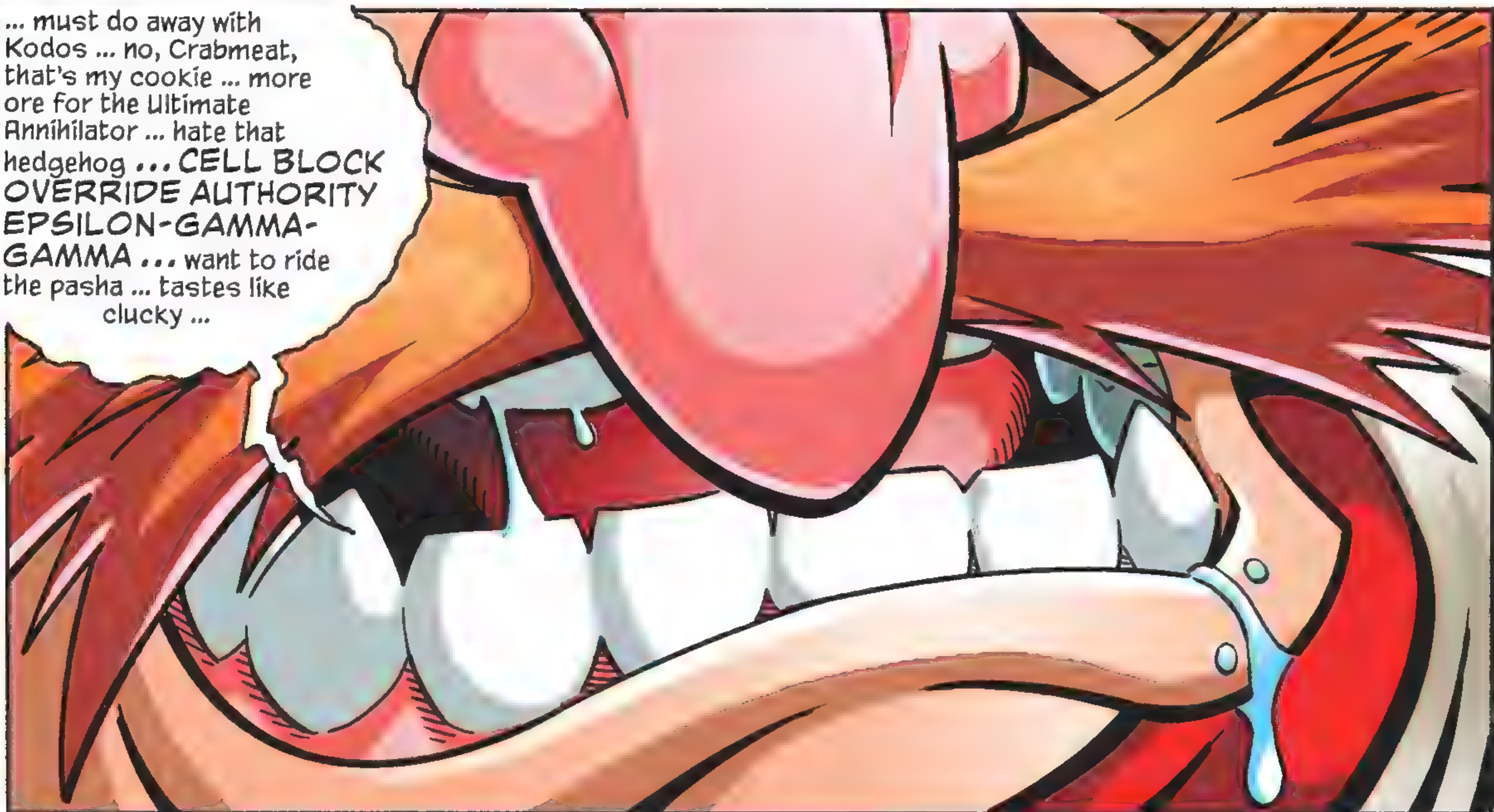
... crystal  
ducks in wooden  
water ... hate that  
hedgehog ... they  
always loved Colin  
more ... empire  
that reaches the  
stars ...

... two  
plus two  
... ten ...  
in base-  
four ...

OH,  
FORGET IT.  
NO POINT IN  
GLOATING WHEN  
YOU CAN'T UNDER-  
STAND ME.



... must do away with  
Kodos ... no, Crabmeat,  
that's my cookie ... more  
ore for the Ultimate  
Annihilator ... hate that  
hedgehog ... **CELL BLOCK  
OVERRIDE AUTHORITY  
EPSILON-GAMMA-  
GAMMA** ... want to ride  
the pasha ... tastes like  
clucky ...



**CLICK**

*A TRAGEDY HAS BEEN REVEALED,  
AND THE NEXT TERROR RELEASED!  
WILL THIS BE **DOCTOR ROBOTNIK'S  
RETURN?***

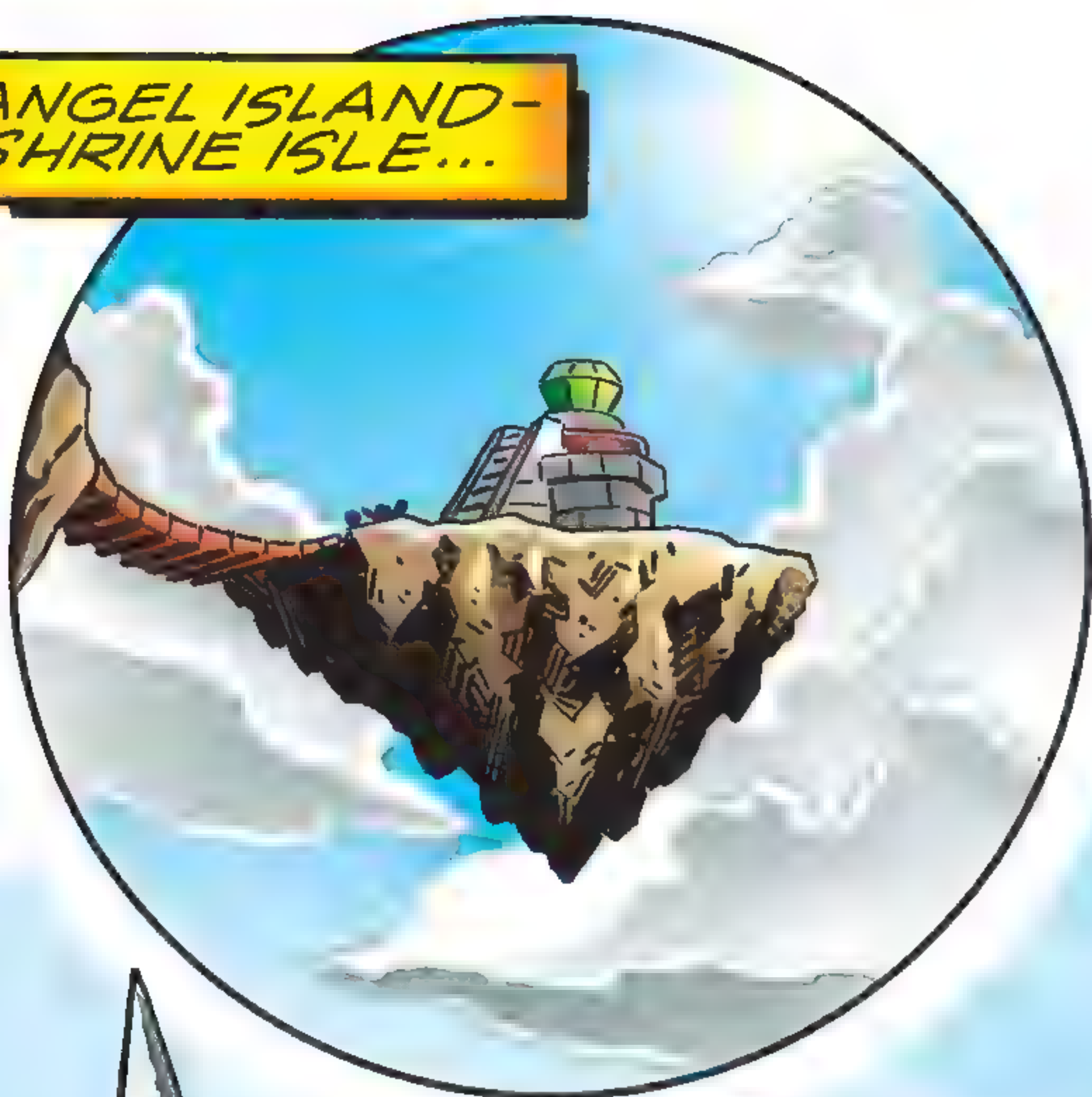
*COME BACK NEXT TIME FOR THE  
BEGINNING OF...*

**"ON THE RUN!"**





ANGEL ISLAND -  
SHRINE ISLE...



SO THIS IS  
IT? YOU REALLY  
HAVE BETRAYED  
THE CHAOTIX.  
YOU REALLY  
HAVE JOINED  
THE IRON QUEEN  
AND ALL THOSE  
OTHER NINJA  
...THINGS...

# Friend In Deed **PART TWO**

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YOU'D REALLY STEAL THE MASTER EMERALD. YOU'D REALLY GIVE HER THAT MUCH POWER AND DROP THIS ENTIRE ISLAND INTO THE OCEAN. YOU'D REALLY DO THAT?



...I WOULD HAVE TO DO THIS, RIGHT? I'D HAVE TO DESTROY YOU BEFORE YOU WOULD LET ME TAKE THE MASTER EMERALD?



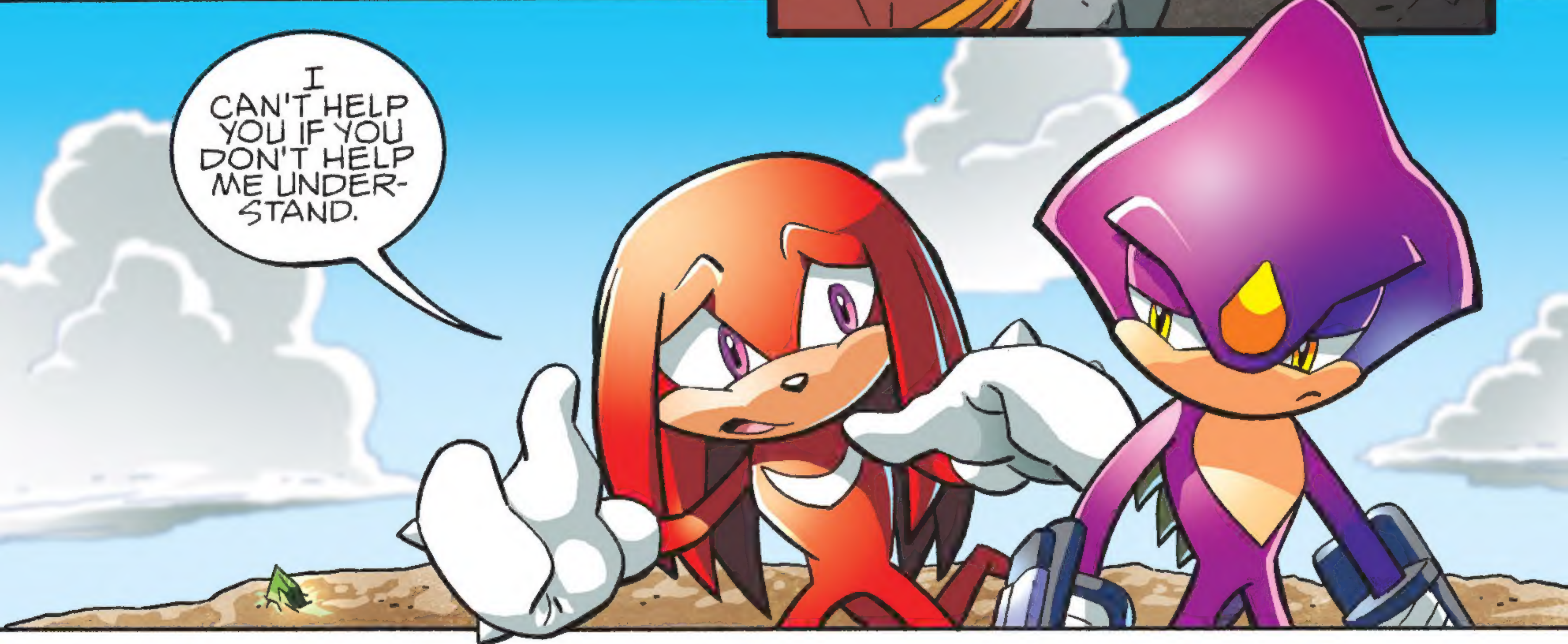
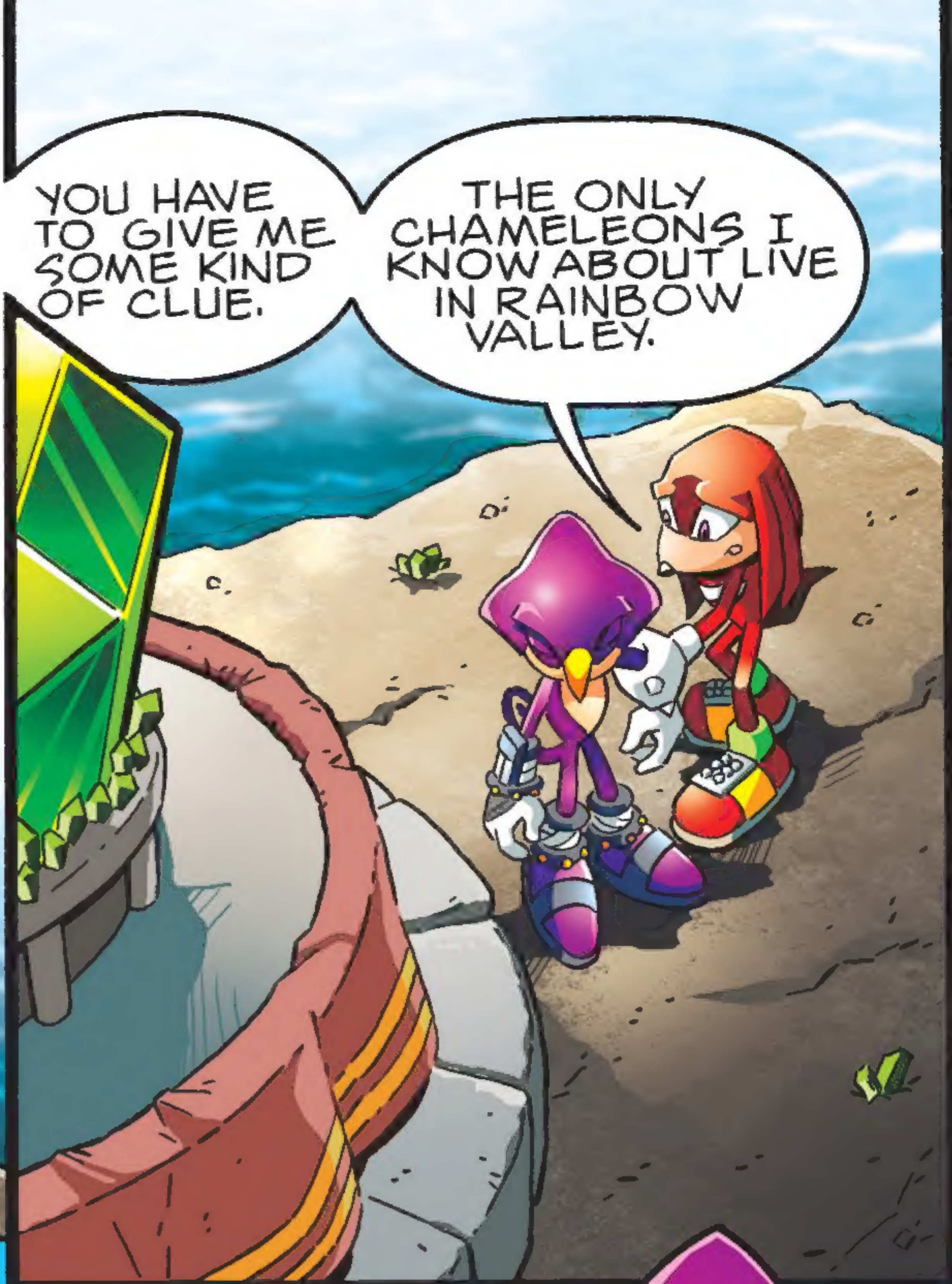
DO YOU EVEN NEED TO ASK?

OF COURSE YOU WILL.

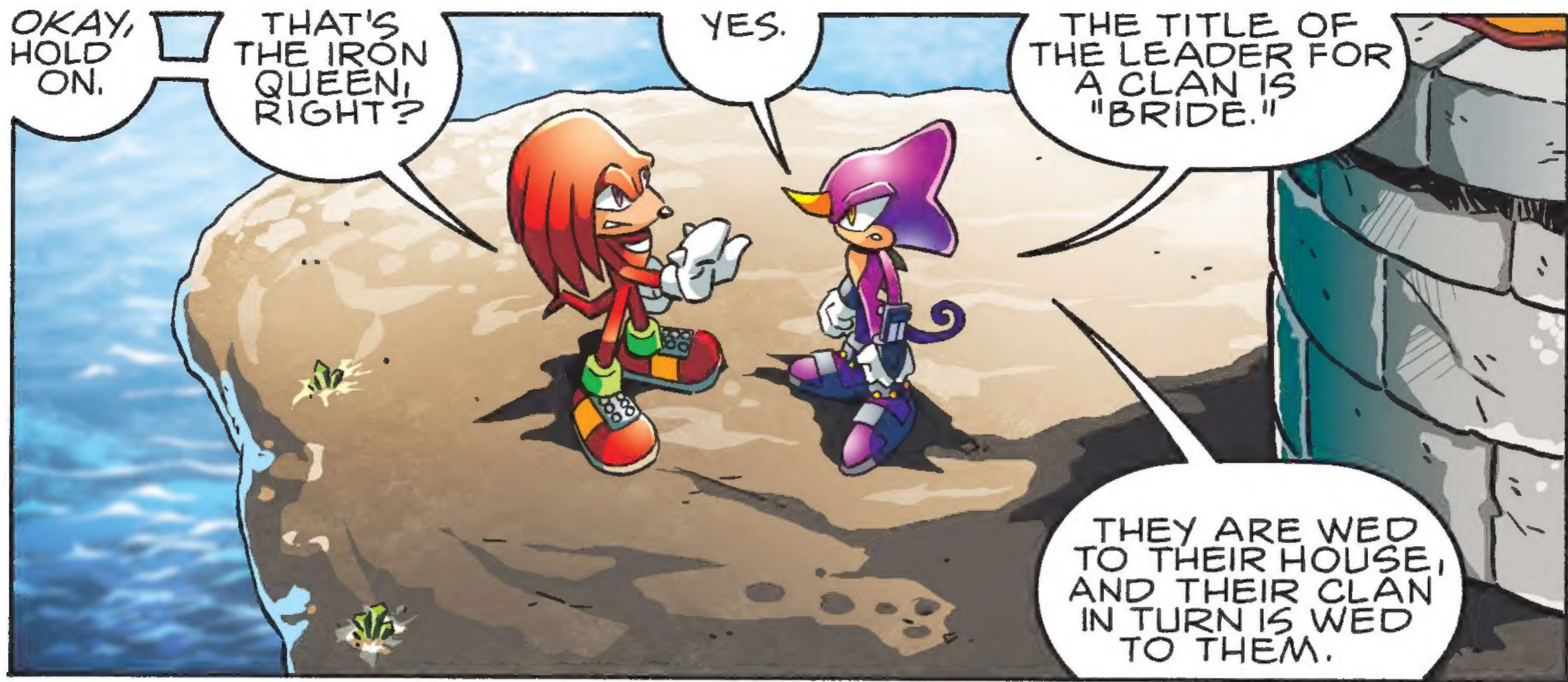
I'LL GIVE UP EVERYTHING TO STOP YOU.











OKAY... SO BRIDES ARE THE BOSSES. AND IF THE IRON QUEEN IS THE "BRIDE OF FOUR HOUSES," SHE'S THE BOSS OF THE FOUR CLANS?

EXACTLY.

ALL OF THEM MORTAL ENEMIES, BUT NOW BOUND TO HER WILL.

OKAY, I'VE GOT IT. THEN ALL WE HAVE TO DO IS GET THEM TO BREAK AWAY, AND YOU CAN DO WHATEVER YOU WANT AGAIN, RIGHT?

NO.

THEN I WOULD ONLY SERVE THE SHINOBI CLAN AND THE BRIDE OF CONSTANT VIGIL.



HUH...?

AND LIGHTNING LYNX?

FORMER EXILE FROM THE RAIJU CLAN. HIS BRIDE OF THE CONQUERING STORM SERVES THE IRON QUEEN IN NEW MEGAOPOLIS.

JUST... WATCH OUT.



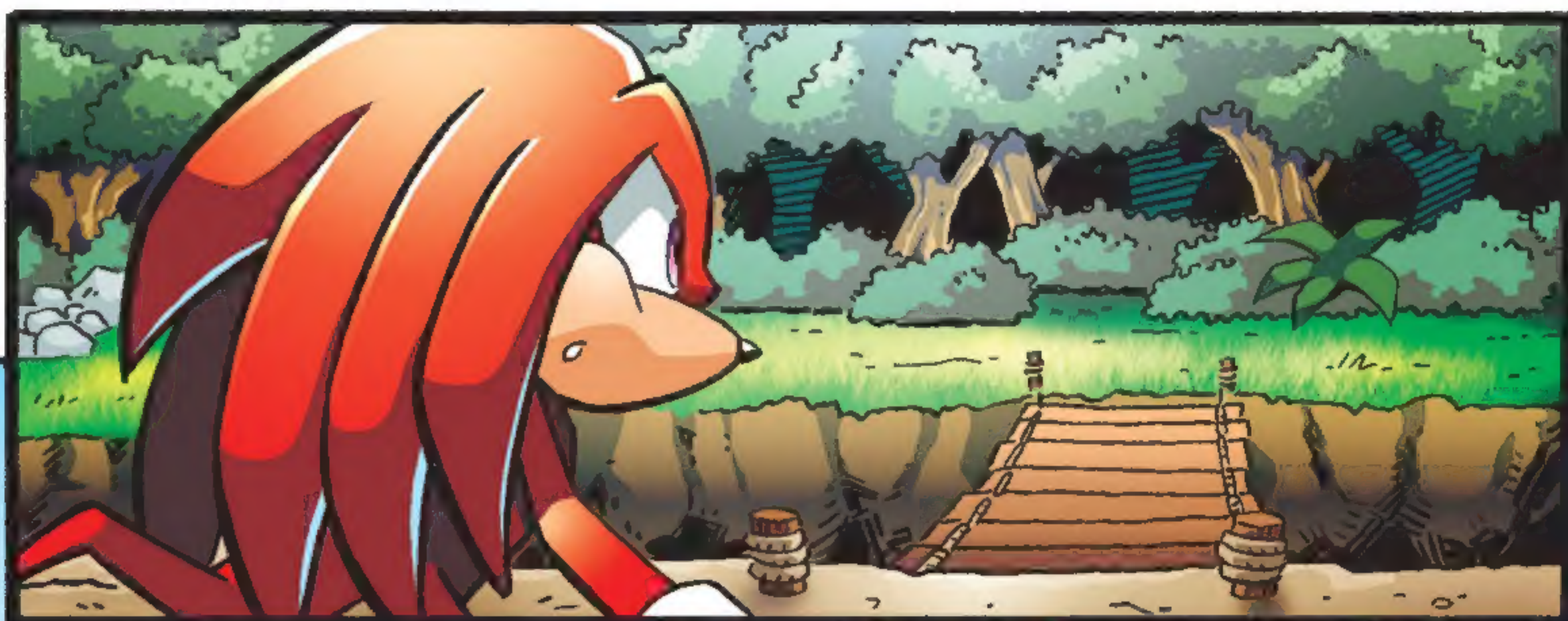


WAIT! I'M  
GETTING ALL  
TURNED  
AROUND  
AGAIN.  
WHAT ARE  
THE OTHER  
CLANS?

I'VE  
SAID  
TOO  
MUCH.

BUT IF YOUR  
ORDERS WERE  
CONFLICTING,  
THEN WHAT  
DID CONSTANT  
VIGIL WANT  
YOU TO DO?

ESPIO  
?



GOOD  
LUCK OUT  
THERE, MY  
FRIEND.

AND BE  
CAREFUL.

**WITH NEW ANSWERS COME  
NEW MYSTERIES!  
NEXT, WE'LL TAKE A WALK  
ON THE DARK SIDE IN  
"HEIR APPARENT!"  
UNTIL THEN, DON'T MISS  
THE SONIC ARCHIVES, SONIC  
SELECT, AND THE BRAND NEW  
SONIC UNIVERSE!**